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First War Casualty Returns To Grimsby

Pte. Francis Craig, R.C.A. S.C., Overseas Nearly Three Years, Arrived Back Last Thursday — Was Badly Smashed up in Motorcycle Accident.

DESPATCH RIDER

Was Eight Hours Reaching Hospital—Had Three Blood Transfusions — Half of Knee Cap Has Been Removed.

It was a happy reunion that took place in Grimsby on Thursday afternoon last, when, with only a few hours advance notice to his relatives, Pte. Francis Craig, arrived over the C.N.R. after nearly three years' service overseas.

Pte. Craig enlisted in the R.C.A.S.C. in the fall of 1939, he trained at various camps throughout Canada and proceeded overseas in January of 1941. Shortly after arriving in Britain he was made a motorcycle despatch rider.



PTE. FRANCIS CRAIG

A year ago last August while on duty, he was proceeding on official business, and on a narrow highway turned out to pass another army vehicle. As he did so he crashed into another army motorcycle that was parked crossways of the road. He suffered a compound fracture of his left thigh and a compound fracture of his left knee.

He was eight hours before reaching a hospital and by that time passed out of the picture from loss of blood and it was necessary to give him three transfusions. He was confined to hospital and convalescent home for one year and 22 days. At present his knee has only about 30 per cent action as half of the knee cap has been removed.

Francis Craig, or "Handsome" as The Independent Sports Editor (Continued on page 7)

"Cammy" Missing Money Rolls In

Boys Over Here Think of Boys Over There — Cigarette Fund Gets \$3 From "Shad" Hitchman's Spuds.

A man told "Shad" Hitchman last spring about the big potatoes that they grow down in Arkansas. That made "Shad" mad and he decided to grow some bigger and better ones and he succeeded in doing so.

He brought a basket of them up to St. John and Shaw and told Roy and his ornamental partner Ollie to raffie them off for the Cigarette Fund.

They did at 10 cents a throw. They realized \$7. Mrs. Frank Farrow won the spuds and Roy and Ollie purchased them from her for \$2, which she donated to the fund. Hence, the Cigarette Fund has \$9 in the bag.

By the time "Cammy" Millyard gets back from his Honeymoon, the boys around town in various ways will almost have all the money gathered up that he needs to complete his Christmas purchases for the boys over there.

Bush Fires Causing Plenty Of Trouble

Fire Department Has Had a Busy Seven Days — Worked 12 Hours at One Fire—Have to Haul Water For Pumper.

BARN BURNED

Large Barn of Peter Marlowe With All The Season's Crop Goes up in Flames — Cattle And Implements Saved.

For the past seven days Grimsby Fire Department has been about the busiest organization in the whole Fruit Belt. Luckily the fires, with the one exception, have all been of such a nature that no real loss has been sustained. But the strain on the fire laddies has been heavy just the same.

A week ago Wednesday the department spent five hours on the side of the mountain, south of the Point, battling a bush fire and shortly after two o'clock on Friday were called back to the same spot and had a solid 10 hour fire before bringing the fire under control.

That night at eight o'clock an alarm came in from the farm of Peter Marlowe, Grimsby Centre Road east, where his fine large barn was ablaze. The pumper truck responded from the bush fire as did number two truck from the fire hall, but the building was doomed when the firemen arrived.

This barn, 36 x 48, contained about 50 tons of hay and all the season's grain crop. Milking had been finished and the cattle were all at pasture as were the horses. The pigs were saved from the pig

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Making Progress With Hospital

Cash Donations And Pledges Received Have Been Very Satisfactory — No Intense Canvassing For Next Three Weeks.

Progress in raising funds for the establishment of West Lincoln Memorial hospital is being made. So reports A. R. Globe, chairman of the committee in charge.

Up until the present the amount of cash donated and pledges received have been very satisfactory and the committee are very well pleased with the results. Many donations have come unsolicited and some of them have been surprises indeed.

Owing to the fact that the Victory Loan drive opens next week it is not the intention of the committee to continue their soliciting of funds in opposition to this campaign, but instead will lay off until the Victory Loan is finished when they will take up the work again.

Several new ideas for the raising of funds have been advanced since the work started and these will be carried out in full when the work gets under way three weeks hence.

"Honey" Fresh Out Of Baby Vehicles

One Hour After The Independent is on The Street Advertised Go-cart is Sold.

Last Thursday The Independent was on the street a little after nine o'clock. It carried, as usual, the talkative advertisement of "The Little Shoemaker." He was advertising, for quick sale, for the Salvage committee, one Baby Go-cart, price \$6.00.

A little after 10 o'clock, a lady who reads the advts. called at the shop of "Honey" and in a thrice has purchased the go-cart. Quick work, say we.

A few days before that "Honey" had disposed of the English parambulator that had been on display in his window for a ten dollar bill. On Friday Miss Verna Lewis, Secretary of the Salvage committee had \$16 in cash for her funds.

It pays to advertise in The Independent. Try it.

SPEED THE VICTORY

TOWNSHIP WATER USERS WILL BE CHARGED METRE RENTAL WHY CLASSIFIED ADVERTISERS PREFER TO USE BOX NUMBERS

Fifteen Cents a Month Will Be The Fee, Collected Yearly—Council Got Their Feet Wet in Both Ditch And Waterworks Water And Then Got Lost in 30 Acres of Weeds — \$846 Tax Arrears Collected Sept.

Weeds and water. Water and weeds. Weeds that were cut and weeds not cut. Ditch water and waterworks water. That is all one could hear at North Grimsby council on Saturday afternoon. Weeds and water. Water and weeds.

Henry Haws whose farm is on the Grimsby Centre road west of the stone road wanted to know what the council were going to do about having the Haws drain cleaned out so that the water it

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A QUEER COINCIDENCE

Fate plays queer tricks. One of its strangest ones happened in Beamsville last week.

At five-thirty last Wednesday afternoon ex-Reeve Charles Garlett of the eastern village was walking east on King street, and crossing the intersection of Queen street when a car driven by Den-dah High, also of Beamsville, came west on King street and turned to go south on Queen street and struck Mr. Garlett. He was fatally injured, dying in the ambulance on the way to Hamilton hospital.

Mr. Garlett was buried at three o'clock on Saturday afternoon. Six hours later, or 75 hours after the first fatality, Mr. High was crossing King street from north to south, to proceed up Queen street, when he was struck by an east-bound car driven by a St. Catharines man.

Mr. High, who is 32 years of age, suffered a compound fracture of the right leg, several lacerations of the scalp and was otherwise bruised and shaken up.

Is this not a strange coincidence?

There Are Many Reasons — Take People Wanting a Room, They Probably do Not Wish to Offend The Householder Where They Are Rooming — Use of Box Number is Legal, Providing The Advertisement is Wrong Attitude.

There is a tendency on the part of some of our readers to take exception when we refuse to give them the name and address of an advertiser who uses an Independent box number for replies.

Just why this attitude is taken is exceedingly difficult to understand, but for the sake of all our readers we feel perhaps the following explanation might clear up the situation once and for all.

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FACTS & FANCIES

Frank Fairborn, Jr.

A MOTHER'S PRAYER

God, Father of Freedom, look after that boy of mine, wherever he may be. Walk in upon him. Talk with him during the silent watches of the night, and spur him on to bravery when he faces the cruel foe. Transfer my prayer to his heart.

Keep my boy inspired by the never-dying faith in his God. Throughout all the long days of a hopeful Victory, wherever his duty takes him, keep his spirit high and his purpose unwavering. Make him a loyal friend. Nourish him with the love that I gave him at birth, and satisfy the hunger of his soul with the knowledge of my daily prayer.

He is my choicest treasure. Take care of him, God. Keep him in health and sustain him under every possible circumstance. I once warmed him under my heart. You warm him anew in his shelter under the stars. Touch him with my smile of cheer and comfort, and my full confidence in his every brave pursuit.

Fail him not—and may he not fail You, his country, nor the mother who bore him.

BANNERS FOR CHIMNEYS

Smoke from farm chimneys indicates the passing of the season. The gray penants are part of the landscape picture when the growing season is done and the rich promise of fruition is at hand.

As the gray banners leave the red chimneys, climb into the air, change to faint wisps and tattered fragments, and finally dissolve in the frosty air, the countryside begins a new day. A dog barks across the fields, a cow moos from the pasture behind the barn, and a horse neighs for his breakfast.

While the chores are being done, the farm kitchen is a busy spot. The smoke banners in the air mean sizzling bacon and fragrant coffee. They mean a cheery, cozy room and a kettle singing on the shining kitchen stove. As the farmer starts to the house with the milk pails on his arm, he glances at the smoke. A good fire, a warm room, a good breakfast. That gray banner curling into the air means the heart of a home.

HOW IT WORKS OUT

A good way to look at this talk of Socialism, and a Government which runs everything, is to think of how this would work in a Canadian city or town—especially in one of the smaller places.

After all, Canada consist only of communities, and it is quite easy to get an idea of what might happen in Canada as a whole by thinking of what might happen in one community.

The same sort of people are available here to run things as are available to run everything in the country. What the individual citizen might think about is whether he really wants to have a system under which, in his own town, the local factories would be run by the local authorities; in which wages and working conditions would be set by town by-laws; in which the local stores would all be combined into one big store, run by the town; in which the price of everything which comes in from the country on the market and the price of everything which is sold to the farmer in the surrounding countryside would be fixed by the local authorities.

Of course, out on the farms which are tributary to the town, the farmers would

have to plant the crops, pay the wages, and do the work which the local authorities instructed them to do.

If the community was to remain a democratic one, then the local authorities would have to be elected by the townspeople and the farmers of the surrounding area.

That is Socialism. It is just as simple as that. The more the individual citizen thinks this over, the less likely it seems that he will really like this system. Under it, of course, no individual would ever start a new factory or business. That would be something to be settled by the authorities. They would have to think of what might be profitable to make in this town, and then tax every one to pay for building the factory in which it was to be made.

Of course, if the goods from that factory were to be sold outside a town and its own farm area, the quality and price of these goods would have to be settled by some more important central authority—but that would only be an authority very much like the town council. After all, the same sort of people get elected to Parliament as get elected to town councils; the same sort of people are civil servants at Ottawa as are employed by town authorities.

If the Canadian people could only get accustomed to thinking of Socialism in these terms, they would have a pretty good idea of how it would work—and it does not seem likely that there would be so many people advocating Socialism as there now are.

A SHINING EXAMPLE

The story is told how Saint Martin, a gentlemanly saint of the fourth century, used his sword to slice his cloak in half so that an ill clad beggar could have the benefit of its warmth.

Before planning any expenditure on new clothes for this fall every woman would do well to consider this shining example of Christian economy.

Where there is only a limited amount of material to go round, the principle of a "fair share for everybody" becomes of immediate importance for deliberate over-buying means that somebody will have to go without. It does not need much imagination either to forecast that there will be many beggars in Europe who after their liberation from the Axis, will need "half of your cloak" to keep them warm.

A LIBERAL COMPLAINS

Senator William Duff has sold out his Nova Scotian export fish business, because he has found the complexities and irritations impossible under "present restrictions, bureaucratic red tape and quota and allocation controls." The Halifax Herald carries a news story of the retirement from business of the Senator, who when he was once a Member of the House of Commons was often referred to as "Admiral" Duff.

Here is something which will command a lot of endorsement from business men everywhere in Canada:

"Government departments at Ottawa seem to have no idea what a business man has to go through," Senator Duff said. "These regulations require such labor and bookkeeping and accountancy staffs that ordinary office help is powerless to cope with the flood of duplicate, triplicate and sextuplicate manifests, permits, bills of lading and permissive forms of all kinds, which are mostly unnecessary. It's just bewildering and the delays are ruinous, when perishable cargo is involved."

"When I take it up with the Minister he tells me he can't interfere with his officials. Can you imagine such an answer? Business men are badgered to death trying to comply with the regulations, which are getting tougher and tougher, and which are being issued to responsible men who know their own business, while the officials have often been pitchforked into action without any qualification whatever in the business world or the matters which come up in their own departments."

Senator Duff is a Liberal appointee of the Senate and one of the old stalwarts from the Maritimes. He has given a picture of bureaucracy, which is government control and which has become, even under the necessity of war requirements, anathema to all business men in the country. And there is a new party in Canada, the C.C.F., which presents a program which would certainly perpetuate all the present controls and interferences, in fact, would expand the present ad infinitum.

When the war is over, one of the first things which will be demanded in the course of sound rehabilitation will be to get business back on its own feet and throw all the "complexities and irritations" right out the window.

Mr. Roosevelt vies with Churchill in irony at times. He pointed out that Hitler forgot to put a roof over his European fortress.

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ONE TOUCH OF NATURE

Nobody loves a censor—outside the censor's family, that is, and those who know him. That's the very trouble: we don't know who he is or where he is, despite the fact of his indecipherable name on the envelope and his impersonal number, and we can't run over to his office, or pick up the telephone, or even write him a letter and tell him what we think about his having cut out all the place names and detailed descriptions in Jimmy's letter which resulted in eliminating, on the other side of the sheet, half the message to Aunt Martha about what happened to her fruitcake last Christmas, or what he had to sleep on the night before, or what occurred at the end of that wild jeep ride.

But now and then a censor does things which prove that he is kin to all the rest of us. Sometimes he pencils an explanatory note. Sometimes he takes the trouble to write out the inadvertently censored material on the other side.

And then at times he plays Santa Claus—as when he slipped an extra dollar bill in the letter carrying \$2 to a soldier's daughter, to be divided with her four sisters and brothers who are in a public home while their mother is in a hospital.

Yes, censors may cut the heart out of a letter—but still they have hearts of their own.

'WAY BACK WHEN

Frank Fairborn, Jr.

THIS week I am giving you an old time poem that was a great favorite for many years, but that you have not heard of for a long, long time, and a great majority of the younger generation never heard tell of it.

THE OLD BAND

With apologies to James Whitcombe Riley. The names are those of members of the Grimsby Band of 61 years ago.

It's mighty good to git back to the old town, shore, Considerin' I've been away twenty year and more. Since I moved to Kansas of course I see a change, A-comin' back and notice things new to me and strange; Especially at evenin' when yer new band fellers meet. In fancy uniforms and all, and play out on the street— What's come of old Bill Grobb and the Hunter fellers—say? I want to hear the old band play.

What's come of Penelegion and Frank Ruas? And where's Joe Second at? And Jake and Joe Warden; Art Groce; Jimmy Durham and that Aid brother of him played the drum as twicet as big Jim; And old John Duvall, the carpenter—say, what's become o' him? I make no doubt yer new band now's a competenter band. And plays their music more by note than what they

play by hand, And stylisher and grander tunes; bu somehow—anyway I want to hear the old band play.

Such tunes as "John Brown's Body," and "Weet Alice" don't you know; And "The Camels Is A-Comin'," and "John Anderson, My Jo;" And a dozen others of 'em—"Number Nine" and "Number Eleven" Was favorites that fairly made a feller dream Heaven, And when the boys 'ud saranade, I've lain so still in bed I've even heerd the locus' blossoms droppin' on the shed When "Lily Dell," or "Hazel Dell" had sobbed and died away— I want to hear the old band play.

Yer new band maybe beats it, but the old band's what I said— It always 'peared to kind o' chord with somepin in my head. And whiles I'm no musicianer, when my blame eyes is jes' Nigh drowned out, and Mem'ry squares her jaws and sort o' says She won't ner never will forgit, I want to jes' turn in

And take an' light right out o' here, and git back West agin— And stay there, when I git there where I never haf to say I want to hear the old band play.

THE OPTIMIST

I sing a song of the optimist, To the man that is brave and strong, Who keeps his head when things go right, And smiles when things go wrong.

I am proud of the genial Optimist, His radiant voice and speech; It helps smooth the rugged path Of all within his reach.

I like the way of the Optimist, Who looks for the bright and the best, He scatters sunshine as he goes, And leaves his fellows blest.

I am glad to meet the Optimist, With his message of good cheer; He carries hope and confidence, To those assailed by fear.

So here's a song to the Optimist, Who joyously works and sings, And daily shows this weary world The way to better things.

AS NATURE DEALS WITH US

As a fond mother, when the day is o'er, Leads by the hand her little child to bed, Half willing, half reluctant to be led, And leave his broken playthings on the floor, Still gazing at them through the open door, Nor wholly reassured and comforted By promises of others in their stead, Which though more splendid, may not please him more; So Nature deals with us, and takes away Our playthings one by one, and by the hand Leads us to rest so gently, that we go Scarce knowing, if we wish to go or stay, Being too full of sleep to understand How far the unknown transcends the what we know.

—Henry Wadsworth Longfellow.

THE CHARTERED BANKS of Canada keep abreast of the Dominion's expanding needs.



Six times since 1870 the Bank Act under which the Chartered Banks operate has been revised by parliament—six times in that period the activities of the banks have been carefully scrutinized by the people's representatives.

Every ten years the Bank Act has been thus revised. Each one of the six decennial revisions has contributed much to the evolution of the banking system to meet the expanding needs of a developing Dominion.

In 1934 the sixth revision of the Bank Act was made. Fifty members of the House of Commons

made up the committee, which examined witnesses—among them bank officers, government officials and reformers—and studied exhibits filed by various individuals and organizations. Findings were submitted to the House, and later that year the Bank Act was revised in many important particulars.

Through democratic enquiry and decision, the Canadian banking system has grown and been adjusted to meet the needs of the people, providing a depository for savings and a sound basis for Canada's free economic development.

THE CHARTERED BANKS OF CANADA

Soldiers' Parcels Travel Long Way

Citizens are requested not to delay until the last minute to post their gift parcels for overseas but to Mail Early and so prevent congestion by giving the Post Office opportunity to give their mail prompt handling and to arrange for adequate cargo space, which because of the shipment of war supplies is necessarily limited.

Thousands of Christmas parcels (last Christmas season more than 8½ million lbs.) and other mails reaching the Post Office on or after the closing date would delay delivery by accentuating the difficulty of speedy handling and make it impossible for sufficient cargo space to be found aboard the last steamships departing with the Christmas mails to ensure all parcels and letters reaching their destinations in time.

A giftless Christmas Day would dawn for many men and women in uniform overseas, turning the holiday into a day of disappointment instead of cheer, for which even the later arrival of their parcels could not compensate. Citizens can prevent this from happening by Mailing Early—well before November 1.

It is also suggested that to help facilitate the provision of shipping space for the overseas Christmas mails to the Canadian Forces that each sender should voluntarily cut down as far as possible on the weight and size of each Christmas package, notwithstanding the fact that the maximum weight of a parcel at reduced rate is set at 11 pounds. They will thus enable the Post Office to forward the maximum number of parcels in the space available aboard each ship, and so make deliveries in time for all.

There is the most vital need of full co-operation by the public, for this year the Post Office expects an all-time record in the overseas volume of military mails will be established and is already preparing in every way possible to handle and expedite the influx. Greater care than ever before is necessary on the part of mailers, in the preparation of their overseas parcels, in order to avoid delay.

More than four billion miles will probably be flown by army air force pilots and student pilots in the present year.

A modern 420-mile highway is nearing completion to connect Bogota, the mountain capital of Colombia, with the Pacific coast seaport Buenaventura. Bogota is 8,300 feet above sea level.

There are two kinds of discontented citizens—those who live in the home town and wish they didn't; those who have left the home town and wish they hadn't.

What It Costs To Equip A Soldier

CLOTHING — \$101.31

Battle dress (2)	\$22.36
Greatcoat	17.22
Sweater	1.58
Winter cap	1.20
Muffler	.84
Woolen underwear (2)	4.62
Belt	.37
Cotton shirt (2)	2.56
Walking out dress, Uniform	14.40
Shoes, pr.	4.41
Waterproof coat	8.05
Field cap	.78
Overalls (2)	5.40
Comforter cap	.30
Cotton underwear (2)	1.46
Socks, prs. (4)	1.44
Woolen gloves	.59
Boots, prs. (2)	10.40
Canvas shoes	1.89
Web anklets	.77
Badges:	
Arm. prs. (4)	.12
Unit, prs. (4)	.20
Cap	.06
Braces	.27
Boots laces	.02



EQUIPMENT — \$88.13

Ground sheet	1.81
Field dressings	.24
Blacking	.06
Boot dressing	.05
Hand towels (2)	.42
Comb	.04
Razor	.39
Button braces	.04
Kit bag	.78
Brushes (5)	1.16
Table fork	.09
Table knife	.18
Clasp knife	1.18
Spoon	.08
Moldali	.17
Housewife	.51
Rifle	54.30
Bayonet and scabbard	2.35
Bottle of oil	.13
Rifle pulldown	.16
Rifle sling	.24
Steel helmet	2.39
Anti-gas respirator:	
Container	1.60
Facepiece	3.10
Haversack	1.27
Anti-dimming	.15
Ration bag	.04
Haversack	2.14
Peak	2.13
Rectangular mess tin	.57
Water-bottle	.65
Bottle carrier	.45
Web braces (2)	1.90
Waist belt	1.03
Haversack straps (2)	1.80
Web straps (2)	.34

CAN'T EVICT TENANTS DURING WINTER MONTHS

Tenants of houses, duplexes or apartments may not be evicted during the winter months from September 30 to April 30 under the provisions of the new Rentals Order of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board which became effective October 1. Tenants of flats are subject to the one-month notice at any time. Landlords are permitted to apply for a ten per cent increase in rent if the tenant is taking in roomers or boarders who are occupying more than two rooms. The new order provides for the appointment of rental appraisers in Canadian cities and towns whose duty it will be to fix and vary maximum rentals. As under the previous order, all property used for agricultural purposes are exempt.

Adult and young terrapin have been shipped recently by the United States Government from the federal fish hatchery at Beaumont, N.C., to Pacific waters in an attempt to introduce these turtle cousins to the west coast.

To-day typhoid fever cases are rare, due chiefly to the fact that water supplies in our cities and towns are carefully protected from pollution.



Five of the six Royal Canadian Sea Cadets who qualified for entrance to Royal Roads Royal Canadian Naval College, were awarded scholarships by The Navy League of Canada. Each scholarship has a value of \$1,000, which is sufficient to pay for tuition, lodging, meals and uniforms for the two-year course and leave about \$150. over for incidentals. A recent picture of the college, located near Victoria, B.C., is shown in the layout, with photos of the scholarship-winners. (left, David C. Mather; right Brian MacKay; lower, (left to right) Robert C. Stone; Frederick W. White and Peter McC. Cornell. The sixth Navy League Cadet to qualify, Andrew C. McMillan, stood high among the 130 candidates and came very close to being among the scholarship winners.



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VICTORY LOAN

Dated and bearing interest from 1st November 1943, and offered in two maturities, the choice of which is optional with the subscriber, as follows:

15 years and 2 months
3% Bonds
Due 1st January 1959

Callable in or after 1956
Interest payable 1st January and July
Bearer denominations,
\$50, \$100, \$500, \$1,000, \$5,000, \$25,000

Issue Price: 100%

Principal and interest payable in lawful money of Canada; the principal at any agency of the Bank of Canada and the interest semi-annually, without charge, at any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank, excepting that the first interest payment on the 3% Bonds will be for an eight months' period and payable 1st July 1944.

Bonds may be registered as to principal or as to principal and interest, as detailed in the Official Prospectus, through any agency of the Bank of Canada.

3 years and 6 months
1½% Bonds
Due 1st May 1947

Non-callable to maturity
Interest payable 1st May and November
Bearer denominations,
\$1,000, \$5,000, \$25,000, \$100,000

Issue Price: 100%

Fully-Paid Subscriptions—Subscriptions for either or both maturities of the loan may be paid in full while the lists are open at the issue price in each case without accrued interest. Bearer bonds with coupons will be available for prompt delivery.

Instalment Subscriptions—Subscriptions may also be made payable by instalments, plus accrued interest, as follows—10% on application; 18% on 1st December 1943; 18% on 3rd January 1944; 18% on 1st February 1944; 18% on 1st March 1944; 18.64% on the 3% bonds or 18.37% on the 1½% bonds, on 1st April 1944.

The last payment on 1st April 1944, covers the final payment of principal, plus .64 of 1% in the case of the 3% bonds and .37 of 1% in the case of the 1½% bonds representing accrued interest to the due dates of the respective instalments.

Conversion Offer—Holders of Dominion of Canada 5% Bonds due 15th October 1943 and Dominion of Canada 4% Bonds due 15th October 1945 (the latter issue called for payment at 100% on 15th October 1943), who have not presented their bonds for payment, may, while the subscription lists are open, tender their bonds in lieu of cash on subscriptions for a like or greater par value of bonds of one or both maturities of this loan at the issue price in each case. The surrender value of the 5% and/or the 4% bonds will be 100.25% of their par value, the resulting adjustment to be paid in cash.

The Minister of Finance reserves the right to accept or to allot the whole or any part of the amount of this loan subscribed for cash for either or both maturities if total subscriptions are in excess of \$1,200,000,000.

The cash proceeds of this loan will be used by the Government to finance expenditures for war purposes.

Subscriptions may be made through any Victory Loan Salesman, the National War Finance Committee or any representative thereof, any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank, or any authorized Savings Bank, Trust or Loan Company, from whom may be obtained application forms and copies of the Official Prospectus containing complete details of the loan.

The lists will open on 15th October 1943, and will close on or about 6th November 1943, with or without notice, at the discretion of the Minister of Finance.

Department of Finance,
Ottawa, 14th October 1943.



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TASTY BREAD —
NO COARSE HOLES,
NO DOUGHY LUMPS**



**Airtight wrapper
protects strength
and purity
ALWAYS DEPENDABLE!**

Social Events ★ Personals ★ Organizations ★ Club Activities

Ronald McBride, Toronto, was home over the weekend.

Miss Joan Eaton was a visitor in St. Thomas over the holiday.

Harold Walker, of Hamilton was a business visitor to town on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon L. Eaton spent the holiday weekend in Toronto.

Pte. Audrey Robertson, C.W.A.C., Toronto, was home over the holiday.

Clarence W. Lewis, is a business visitor to various points in Michigan State, this week.

Mrs. Cosgrave of Toronto spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Jas. M. Metcalfe, Main west.

Miss Vera McMane, 16, of Grimsby, was the winner of the beauty contest at Beamsville Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Davis, Toronto, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Miller, Pinecroft Farm.

Ft.-Lieut. Martin and Mrs. Gleeson, Ottawa were recent visitors with Miss Peggy O'Neill, Hotel Grimsby.

Corp. Victor "Red" Mason, son of Ernest and Mrs. Mason, Elm St., has been promoted to the rank of Sergeant.

Mrs. Jas. E. O'Neill, Mrs. C. L. McCarthy and baby Sharon Ann, of Hamilton spent the holiday weekend with Miss Peggy O'Neill, Hotel Grimsby.

Guests of Mrs. Thomas Liddle, Rossmore, over the holiday were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Laxon and son James, of Toronto; Albert Ferguson, Windsor; Miss Geraldine Meredith, Toronto; Mrs. Watson and Mrs. Ingham and daughter, Galt; Robson Liddle, Toronto.

St. Joseph's Catholic Church

14 Paton St., Grimsby
Phone 107

Rev. B. A. O'Donnell, M.A.P.P.

XVIII Sunday After Pentecost

Holy Mass—9.30 a.m.

Sunday School—3 p.m.

Evening Devotions—7.30 p.m.

Trinity United Church

W. J. WATT, B.A., B.D., Minister.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17th

11 a.m.—The King's Highway.
7 p.m.—The School Master for St. Paul.

Sunday School at 2.30 in Trinity Hall

In The R.C.A.F.



A.W. 2 Louise Jean Buckenham, well known Grimsby girl and soloist, who has reported for duty with the Women's Division of the R.C.A.F. She is a daughter of E. A. and Mrs. Buckenham.

Send us in your personal items—Phone 36.

Sergt. Keith Brown, Trenton, was home over the weekend.

Corp. Tom Warner, R.C.A.F., Ottawa, was home for the holiday.

L.A.C. Wm. Harrod, R.C.A.F., Belleville, was home over the weekend.

Mrs. Eric E. Ewing returned home on Saturday from a visit to New York.

We regret to report that Mrs. Mary Rosebush is confined to her home with illness.

Eric and Mrs. Mannell, Toronto, spent the holiday weekend under the parental roof.

Miss Helene Petroff, Hamilton, spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Todoroff, Maple Avenue.

Miss Mary Park has returned to her home in Ottawa after spending two weeks at the home of Mrs. M. Robinson, Adelaide street.

Mr. and Mrs. Inoa, Guy, of St. Thomas, were weekend visitors with Mrs. Guy's sister and brother, Mrs. H. Hainer and Mr. Oscar Cosby, Mountain Road.

Earl Tufford was in Sudbury over the weekend, playing with the Thompson Products softball team of St. Catharines, in the Senior O.S.A. playoffs.

Sergt. Ronald House, R.C.A.F., Malton and Art and Mrs. House and Master "Bill", Toronto spent the holiday weekend with Wm. and Mrs. House, Main west.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Brown, and their guest, L.A.C. Don Bantin, R.A.F., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jewson and Havelock were at Huntsville over the Thanksgiving weekend.

Monday Was Thanksgiving

(By Hollis)

What a beautiful day! At 7 o'clock in the morning the stars still gleamed brightly in a clear sky, the crows along the Forty were calling to their friends on the mountainside, and the sharp east wind of Sunday had retired behind the horizon. As it grew lighter the whitened roof tops showed that a frost had passed this way.

The neighbours who had raked up the dry weeds and crab grass from their gardens on Saturday afternoon, were up and out and burning them by nine o'clock. There is nothing like the smell of burning weeds to bring autumn home to us; just as the smell of burning leaves ushers in the Spring.

It was the right kind of day to climb up to the Point, though the view would be swathed in a film of haze along the outer edge. That view from the Point, over the little town they call home and the orchards that sweep out of sight east and west of it, to the broad blue reach of their own Lake Ontario, is one that must often come to the mind's eye of our young servicemen now in far countries, who grew up under the "Mountain" and ranged over it and through the great ravine of the Forty on school holidays.

Too early for Thanksgiving, we say, and doubtless it is too early for the farmers to take a holiday, and too early for the turkeys which could not be finished in time to grace the festive table. The first week in November would perhaps suit the occasion better.

But it's not too early to be thankful: Thankful that our country, Canada, is our own to make good and great, if we will it so:

Thankful that we have a benign neighbour to the south:

Thankful above all else, that the feet of the Allies are set more firmly on the road to victory than they were a short year ago, and that Canada's sons, by their courage, fortitude and integrity, are playing their part nobly in the great battle against the forces of evil.

S/Sgt. Geo. Warner, Brampton, was home over the weekend.

Ft.-Lieut. Hugh Merritt, R.C.A.F., Baggotville, Que., was home over the weekend.

R.Q.M.S. Edward House, Camp Chippawa, North Bay, was home over the weekend.

Petty Officer Earl St. John and Leading Torpedo Gunner Jackie Johnson are home on leave from the Royal Canadian Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Elden Harris, Detroit, Michigan, visited over the holiday weekend with Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Thorason and daughter.

L.A.C. Jack Irvine, Ottawa, spent the Thanksgiving weekend with his sister Miss Mary Irvine and his aunt and uncle, Jas. G. and Mrs. MacIntosh, Main East.

The Brownie Troop will meet on Tuesday next, Oct. 19th, in the I.O.D.E. hall. Only the old Brownies, to attend this meeting. Recruit Brownies to attend the following week.

Dr. and Mrs. MacMillan, Wm. Hewson, Ken and Mrs. Baxter, Irwin and Mrs. Phelps, Wm. and Mrs. Shafer and Lloyd and Mrs. Theal spent the holiday weekend at Cedar Villa.

Mrs. J. Nicholas and daughter, Luella, of Regina, Sask., and Mr. and Mrs. T. Evanoff and sons, Nickie and Jackie, Hamilton, were Thanksgiving guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Todoroff, Maple Avenue.

Delegates from Grimsby Baptist Church attending the Young People's Union Rally at Queen Street Baptist Church, St. Catharines, on Monday afternoon were J. Richardson, student pastor, Miss Greta Ormiston and Miss Kay Ossichuk.

Lieut. Harry Tregaskes, Meaford, spent the week-end at his home here. For the past few months, Lieut. Tregaskes has been the engineer in charge of the construction of Canada's first Armoured Fighting Vehicles Range at Meaford which Colonel Ralston, Minister of National Defence, officially opened last Friday.

Weekend guests at the Village Inn included: Mr. and Mrs. Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Scrivener, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gibson and Dan Gibber, Mr. and Mrs. J. Erwin, Mr. and Mrs. F. Burgess, all of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Nodwell, Georgetown; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Taylor, London; Mr. and Mrs. Proctor of Trenton; and Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, of Kitchener.

Miss Betty Johnson, daughter of Col. and Mrs. W. W. Johnson, who some time ago enlisted with the WRENS has reported for duty with that unit. It would be natural to expect that the younger members of the Johnson clan would follow in the footsteps of the father, Col. Johnson, Commandant of the Northern Area, Active Army, but no. The son is in the R.C.A.F. and the daughter is in the Navy.

Coming Events

Mrs. Geo. Kammacher, 4 Elizabeth Street, will be the hostess for the Sew-We-Knit Red Cross Group on Friday afternoon, the 15th.

Card of Thanks

VICKERS—The family of the late William Vickers wish to thank their many friends and neighbours for kindness and sympathy shown in their sad bereavement.

Births

DEQUETTEVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Dequetteville (formerly Helen Jones), 170 Berryman Ave., St. Catharines, are happy to announce the arrival of a son (Allan Marvin), at the St. Catharines General Hospital, on Saturday, October 9th, 1943.

Marriage

MILLYARD-LEWIS—At Toronto on October 9th, in the chapel of Deer Park United Church by the Rev. J. E. J. Millyard, Margaret Jean, daughter of Mrs. George A. Marpherson and the late Mr. Macpherson, to Carman Douglas Millyard, son of the Rev. J. E. J. and Mrs. Millyard, of London, Ontario.

Baptist Y.P.U.

About 140 members of the Baptist Young People's Union in the Niagara District attended the Thanksgiving rally held in St. Catharines at Queen Street Baptist Church on Monday.

New officers elected for the coming year and installed by Rev. S. H. Lamb, of Dunnville, were: Past President, Arthur D. Smith, St. Catharines; president, Miss Katherine Ossichuk, Grimsby; vice-presidents, Miss Myrtle Whan, Fonthill; Miss Evelynne Bartlett, Beamsville; and Curtis Pury, Port Colborne; secretary-treasurer, Miss Junnie Livesey, St. Catharines; associational representative, Miss Flora Lockhart, Lowbanks.

Worship services were directed by Miss Flora Lockhart, of the Sherbrooke Union and Miss Katherine Ossichuk, Grimsby. The theme, appropriate to Thanksgiving, was "Let Us Give Thanks."

At the banquet in the evening an inspiring address was given by Rev. Fred Poulton, pastor of the church. He urged young people of the Niagara district to have a definite purpose in life, and to determine to carry out that purpose.

I.O. D.E.

Members are reminded of the I.O.D.E. annual meeting at Niagara Falls on October 19th and 20th, in the General Brock Hotel.

The first session begins 10 o'clock Tuesday morning.

Mrs. W. B. Horkins, National President, I.O.D.E., and one of the ablest women speakers in Canada, will give the address at the dinner Tuesday night.

Those from Grimsby wishing to attend should notify the secretary, Mrs. McCausland, 148W.

L.A.C. Gordon Greenhill, R.A.F., stationed at Mount Hope, was the guest over the weekend of Dr. H. MacMillan.

Married Overseas



LUEY—URE

On June 5th, 1943, at Richmond Church, Craigmillar, Edinburgh, Scotland, the marriage took place of Jessie Whyte, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ure, of Hill-of-Breath Farm, Crossgates, Fife, Scotland, to Private Arthur F. Luey, 1st Battalion of the R.H.L.I., third son of Mrs. Vera Luey, and the late Chas. Luey of Grimsby.

Rev. Alex Hutchison was the officiating minister.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a two piece powder blue suit and large picture hat of same colour, with a corsage of white carnations.

The bridesmaid was Miss Margaret Ure, sister of the bride, wearing a wine dress trimmed with blue, and large hat; she wore pink carnations.

Pte. John Ainslie, a friend, was the groomsmen.

A reception was held at No. 7 Hay Ave., Craig Millar Edinburgh.

Coming Event

MOTHERS' CLUB MEETING
Thursday, October 21st, 2.30 p.m.
at the home of Mrs. Edmond Hunter, 24 Maple Ave.

Around The GRIMSBY High School

(By Jan Kendel)

If, perchance, you entered the portals of G.H.S. last Friday night, you, too, would have been swept up in an atmosphere of gaiety and fun. "Sandy" Marr was on the receiving line, blithely accepting coins slaved for by enthusiastic G.H.S. grape-cutters. (remember?)

To the strains of the "Fuddy duddy watch-maker," we enter the dance floor, immediately being swept off our feet by that certain sophomore. O, to be young again. Manoeuvring toward the stage, we find weird games of croquet progressing, shall we say, favourably?

Congra's Paul Jones', tags, are introduced to the Freshmen in rapid succession, following which doughnuts and ginger ale are served, possibly the biggest hit of the evening in the eyes of the males.

Near the close of the evening, Principal P. V. Smith announced the winners of the Track and Field events (see Sport page). Our congratulations to all winners and participants, there were many evidences of G. H. S. good sportsmanship. Thanks are also due to members of the Sr. Student Executive who are responsible for the novel evening.

Eddie Bruvaker, '43 Graduate of G.H.S. has enlisted with the R.C.A.F., and expects to leave sometime this week. Virginia Hewson, former student of our school, has also been accepted, and is taking her Basic Training at Rockcliffe. Good luck to you both.

Grade XIII is in charge of Assembly this week.

It is expected the T.B. (tuberculin) test will be administered some time this week. The test is given, free of charge, to all members of the school.

If results are positive, students are given X-Rays at the St. Catharines Sanatorium, and are advised what precautions to observe.

Funds are raised to carry on this work through the sale of Christmas seals.

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NOTICE

As my tenure of office has expired, and as the Association will not be meeting for some considerable time yet, I wish to announce, that as from this date, I have resigned my position as Secretary-Treasurer of the Grimsby and North Grimsby Liberal Association.

J. HAROLD HEASLIP
October 14th, 1943.

HUNTING LICENSES

Licenses to hunt Pheasants, Partridge, etc. in North Grimsby Township are now obtainable.

Pheasant dates are October 22nd and 23rd.

Non-Resident License \$1.00
Resident License 25c

Licenses may be secured from—

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Girl Guides

Registration of all members of the 50th I.O.D.E. Girl Guide Company will be on Tuesday evening, Oct. 19, at 7.30 p.m. at the I.O.D.E. Room. Any girls wishing to join will also be registered at the same time

Trinity Service Club

Opening meeting for the fall season of Trinity Service Club was held in Trinity Hall on Tuesday afternoon, with Mrs. A. V. Catton, President, in the chair.

Special attention was given to making plans for the fall activities. The semi-annual rummage sale will be held on Saturday, October 23rd, and a committee is arranging for a play to be given later in the season.

Rev. W. J. Watt was the guest speaker, and spoke in part of the tasks which face us in bringing about the new post-war world to which we are looking forward. As individuals we must take the responsibility for shaping the future for our use. Something must be done about juvenile delinquency. Adults must teach children to respond to discipline in order that they may meet the demands of this new world. We will have to overcome racial prejudices also and guard against it in our own country before we can help the world adjust itself to peace, and happy living in the future.

The usual social half hour followed the meeting.

Obituary

MRS. MARY E. JOHNSON

After a lingering illness, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Johnson, widow of the late Michael C. Johnson, passed away at her late home, Park road, Grimsby Beach, Monday night, in her 87th year.

She was born in Norfolk county in 1856 and had been a resident here for over 40 years. She was a member of the Baptist Church.

Surviving are two sons, M. R. Johnson, Grimsby Beach, and J. A. Johnson, Port Dalhousie.

Her husband predeceased her, in 1931.

Funeral took place from her late residence on Wednesday afternoon, with Rev. I. M. Moyer conducting the services.

The casket bearers were, three grandsons, Cecil Johnson, Roy Sawyze, Audrey Sawyze; Nephew, Wm. Pl. Cousins, Loyal Piper, H. A. Crow.

MRS. KATE STEPHENS

Mrs. Kate Stephens died on Wednesday afternoon at the Nursing Home, Campden. In her 69th year, she was born in New York City, and went to Calgary while a young woman, remaining there for a number of years.

She lived for a time with her daughter-in-law, coming to Grimsby in April of this year. Surviving her are her husband, Jos. Stephens, a daughter, Mrs. F. W. Hooper, 7 Murray Street, and a son, F.O. Hugh J. Stephens, who is stationed at Calgary at present. A sister, Mrs. Bertha Baugert, lives in Helena, Montana.

The funeral will be held from the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. W. Hooper, on Friday afternoon with interment at Hamilton Mausoleum.

F.O. D. Bridgman Dies Of Injuries

Son of Well Known Missionary, And Nephew of John Bridgman, Winona, Took Part in Many Operations.

Flying Officer Donald Bridgman, son of Rev. Charles Bridgman, a native of Winona, who served many years in the China mission fields, is reported to have died of injuries suffered on air operations overseas October 9.

The information was received by the young airman's parents, who now reside in Toronto. F.O. Bridgman is a nephew of John Bridgman, of Winona.

Born in China 21 years ago, the young airman came to Canada in 1940 to complete the study of medicine at the University of Toronto. A year later he entered the R.C.A.F., earning his wings at Rivers, Man., in July, 1941. He was commissioned in Canada and promoted to the rank of flying officer overseas. He was an observer and had been on operations many months.

Honey and corn syrup used in canning fruit change the colour and flavour.

BREVITIES

EVENTS and TOPICS of the WEEK in TABLOID

Lions Club meets Tuesday night.

County Council meets next Tuesday.

Victory Loan Campaign opens on Monday.

Dog poisoners are reported to be active in Burlington.

Partridge open season in Lincoln is Nov. 8-15, inclusive.

Get ready for the Hallowe'en Parade, Friday night, Oct. 29th.

The leaves are falling. The mountainside is a technicolor Panorama.

Harold Heaslip has resigned as secretary of the local Liberal Association.

Clarence R. Konkle of Beamsville has purchased the old Millward house and property at 28 Main street east.

A meeting of the St. Catharines and District Hotel Association, is being held this afternoon at the Hotel Grimsby.

A. G. Smith, Postmaster, is building a new frame post office on Park Road, Grimsby Beach to house the Post office. The building will be 18x24.

A nifty thief stole the spare wheel and tire from Charles Terryberry's motor car while it was parked on Main street in front of the Mansion apartments over the week-end.

Niagara Packers shipped their last carload of grapes for the season on Friday last. Casey Baxter and the Niapak boys haven't a thing to do from now until next spring but charitable work and bowl.

There were 83 property transfers in St. Catharines during the month of September. Of the total 70 were for a consideration of \$249,892 and the remaining 13 were family transactions at \$1 each.

Firemen were called to extinguish a blaze in an awning over the front window of the Dominion Cafe on Tuesday night. Chief Constable William Turner is investigating the report that a boy was seen to throw a lighted cigarette on the awning.

The question is often asked: How many people are in Ottawa now? The 1943 directory gives it as 223,103, an increase of 14,315 in the last year. That is, of course Greater Ottawa. A survey shows, and this is interesting in the light of the housing shortage that there are 13,973 houses; 2,282 duplexes, 658 triplexes, 837 apartment houses and 723 stores with apartments over them. Still they're thousands short.

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MON. - TUES., OCT. 18-19

"Hers To Hold"

Deanna Durbin, Joseph Cotton

"Variety Views"

"Pussy Cat Cafe"

WED. - THUR., OCT. 20-21

"The Young Mr. Pitt"

Robert Merley, Robert Donat

"Fox Movietone"

"Fable Cartoon"

Legion Jottings

Members of West Lincoln branch of the Canadian Legion have promised to raise the sum of \$200 towards the funds for the proposed West Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

This decision was made at the branch meeting here on Wednesday night after Dr. J. H. MacMillan and Ralph Boehm had outlined the hospital project.

George Shepherd, of Beamsville, was appointed chairman of a committee to arrange for ways and means of raising this money and also the money required for the annual donations to the Grimsby, Beamsville and Smithville organizations sending Christmas parcels to district men overseas.

Full payment has been received for the former Legion hall, recently sold.

Pheasant days in Lincoln are Oct. 22-23.

Next Blood Clinic, Wednesday, October 27th.

Water Commission meets next Tuesday night.

A large number of Grimsby people took in the Beamsville fair on the holiday.

Owing to the illness of Mayor Johnson, last night's council meeting was postponed until next Wednesday night.

The epidemic of sheep being worried and killed by dogs in Caledonia township has reached serious proportions. Losses for August and September totalled \$1,300.

Considerable property damage resulted but no person was injured in a week-end accident between cars in charge of Mabel Stadelmier, of Grimsby, and Fred Konkle, of Beamsville. Provincial Constable A. E. Reilly investigated.

Thanksgiving Day passed off quietly in town. There were many visitors over the weekend. Traffic on the highways was light. For the most part people stayed home getting in their garden truck, putting up storm windows and generally getting ready for winter.

The Niagara District Division of the Industrial Accident Prevention Association reports: Out of 327 firms with 40,317 employees, in the division, 127 firms, or 38.84% reported for 28,076 or 69.62%, that the number of compensation cases per 1000 employees were 5.27 and medical aid cases 6.21.

Two fines were imposed in Magistrate Campbell's court in St. Catharines on Tuesday, under the Dominion Agricultural Act. Jos. Pillitteri, St. Catharines, was fined \$92 for selling peaches below the minimum grade, and W. Harder, Grantham township, was fined \$99 for selling immature grapes.

Chief of Police William Turner disclosed Tuesday night, that, on complaint of John Kee Kow, Chinese owner of the Dominion Cafe, summonses have been issued against four local youths charging them with theft of a number of pies. Charged under the criminal code, they are to appear in St. Catharines court on Friday.

Official or legal holidays in the schools for the 1943-44 term have been set forth by the Department of Education as follows: Thanksgiving Day (October 11); December 23 to January 2, Christmas-New Year period; April 7 to 16 inclusive, Easter period. There are no other holidays during the two terms of 1943-44.

Provincial Constables A. E. Reilly and Ernest Hart, investigating a complaint from Lathan Martin, Clinton township, that five tons of grapes had been stolen from his vineyard, report that Mr. Martin told them that a mistake in the quantity had been made and only a few boxes were missing. The grapes were in boxes ready for shipment to a winery.

Rev. E. A. Maunsell conducted funeral services for the late Charles Garlett, Beamsville, at the Buck Funeral Home on Saturday afternoon. The funeral was in charge of Ivy Lodge, A.F. & A.M. A number of the members of the Ex-Wardens Association of Lincoln county attended. The pallbearers were C. P. Van Every, George Shepherd, Charles Tallman, M. I. Tufford, S. J. Wilson, W. D. Fairbrother.

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FOR SALE — Fresh eggs, and dressed capons. Will deliver Saturday morning. Reg. Walker, 282-w-3, Grimsby. 13-3p	"BLENDER TABLETS" , Harmless and effective. \$1.00, two weeks' supply. At Dymond's Drug Store. 40-8m
HOUSE FOR SALE — Frame house with large lot and double garage, vacant Nov. 1st. Half acre fruit and brick house, garage; possession about Dec. 1st. James I. Theal, Grimsby, Phone 299. 14-1p	"KLEEREX" — CLEANS THE SKIN. Heals Boils, Impetigo, Eczema, Psoriasis, Chaps, etc. Gives quick relief while you work. 50c, \$1.00, \$2.00. (Medium and Strong). Sold by Dymond's Drug Store.

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WHY CLASSIFIED

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We could think of a dozen reasons why an advertiser doesn't want to use his or her name, and all of them logical. A person, uncomfortable in present lodging, for instance, and anxious to find something better does not wish to court the risk of being turned out of his present home until something else turns up.

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Surely this is reasonable, especially when you consider the same privilege is yours if and when you wish to use it.

Tax Collector Jas. G. McIntosh reported arrears of taxes collected in September totalled \$846.80. Arrears of taxes at the end of Sept. were \$12,373.53, as against \$18,280.29, the same date in 1942.

Two new water connections have been made on the west end water system.

BUSH FIRES

pen and practically no implements were lost as they were all outside in use.

Tuesday afternoon the department spent four hours fighting a bush fire in the adjoining bushes of Robt. Beamer and John Hiltz south of the Elm Tree sidewalk and on Wednesday morning were called to this spot again.

Fighting these bush fires is a hard job. Water has to be hauled in 100 gallon lots from wells on farms and then sprayed on the fire by the pumper. In the case of the Point fire the truck and a sprayer tank belonging to Gordon Metcalfe were used to haul water.

The extremely dry season has

made the underbrush and the dead leaves in the bushes just like tinder. Underneath this is the rotted leaves of years that has in the progress of time turned into a sort of peat and this smoulders and burns for hours upon hours. You can walk over this and while not a bit of smoke is in sight, yet the fire underneath is so hot it will burn your feet. All this has to be turned over with shovels and then doused with water.

FIRST WAR

dubbed him, was one of the best juvenile hockey players this town ever produced. Under special army permit he played with the Peach Buds during the season of 1939-40 when that crack team won the Juvenile O.H.A. championship after five strenuous games with Markham, three of them on Maple Leaf Gardens ice. It was in that series that Major Conny Smythe of the Maple Leafs watched him perform and immediately placed him on the Leafs negotiation list. Unfortunately he will never play hockey again.

key again.

Pte. Craig comes from fighting stock. His grandfather, the late Walter Phipps was an old Imperial army man and served overseas in the last war with the Canadian Railway Corps. His father was overseas the last war with the 98th Batt. A brother Sergt. Gordon Craig is with the R.C.A.S.C. overseas.

Pte. Craig claims that he would never have pulled through what he did had his physique not been built up in previous years by hockey playing and the fact that he did not smoke or drink.

A new method of vat dyeing that produces washable rayon fabrics has been developed, giving what the inventor calls "fool proof" colour fastness.

The vitamine values of soybeans compare favourably with wheat and with meats except that riboflavin and nicotinic acid in the beans are lower than in meat.

Honey Crop One Of Best Ever

The 1943 honey crop is tentatively estimated by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at 32,500,000 pounds—one of the best on record. It exceeded the 1942 crop of 24,100,000 pounds by 8,400,000 pounds, or 35 per cent.

One-third of the total Canadian crop was produced in Ontario where production is estimated at 12,000,000 pounds, compared with short crop of 7,800,000 pounds in the previous year. Production in the Prairie Provinces totalled about 14,000,000 pounds, considerably in excess of the 10,600,000 pounds produced in 1942.

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TOWNSHIP WATER

should carry but does not, is stopped from flooding his land. His portion of the drain is clean. The township 500 feet of the drain will be cleaned in a few days when the County road crew finish the building of a new culvert which connects with the drain. This is an award drain and council will notify all persons liable under the award to clean their portion of the watercourse immediately.

Harold C. Woolverton appeared before council regarding the watercourse through the Bain, Mantell and Woolverton properties. An agreement had been reached some time ago between those gentlemen regarding this watercourse but it now appears that Mr. Mantell will not sign the agreement. The following motion was passed:

Crittenden-Mitchell — That the Clerk notify Mr. Mantell that as per his agreement with this municipality re taking care of water, that the agreement with Mr. Bain and Mr. Woolverton must be signed within 15 days from this date. — Carried.

Suffice for ditch water. Waterworks water is now on tap. Two complaints were received from water users regarding their accounts for the H-2/0. Owing to the fact, that so far as council could learn, the metres were not in good shape, they made adjustments, in the case pending the inspection of the metre. This brought on a lengthy argument pro and con about metres. Also the question as to whether every house holder should have a metre or not, the point being that some residents are paying the flat \$10 a year but only occupying their property a portion of the time.

This is costly water. The metre discussion finally reached the stage of whether a metre rental should

be charged for the metres. This was brought about by the large amount of money that the council is paying out for the purchase of new metres and the repairing of old ones. The question was brought to a head by Councillor Mitchell with the following motion:

Mitchell-Cowan — That a metre rental of 15 cents per month be charged to all water users in the township payable October 1st, each year. — Carried.

Now for weeds. Last council meeting Frank Walker, who owns a farm on the Woolverton mountain road wrote council asking for information, as to who issued instructions to a neighboring farmer to cut the weeds on his property. Weed Inspector Smith had not. None of the council had ever heard tell of the weeds. The man who cut them was not present.

On Saturday the weed cutter was present with a bill for \$18.40. He stated that he had talked to Mr. Smith about the weeds and Smith told him to cut them, at least that was his understanding. Smith stated that he had talked to him about the weeds but had issued no instructions for him to cut them as he was waiting to hear from Mr. Walker.

Council are still in the weeds over the matter. They told the man to go home and send his account to Mr. Walker and report back at next council meeting.

Pheasant days in Lincoln will be October 22nd and 23rd. Shooting licenses in North Grimsby will be handled by Reeve Durham and will cost residents 25 cents and non-residents \$1.00. Partridge season in the township will be November 8 to 15, inclusive.

Water consumption in the township for September was 585,000 gallons in the east end and 219,000 gallons in the west end.

Joint Fire Committee accounts for \$94.37 were ordered paid.

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Ontario's Minister of Labor, Former Mayor of St. Catharines, and Mrs. Daley Given a Rousing Reception by Local and Area Citizens From All Walks of Life at Complimentary Banquet — Premier George Drew and Cabinet Members Present.

By word, song, and action the citizens of the St. Catharines area Wednesday night expressed to Charles Daley their respect, appreciation and approval of the unselfish service rendered as alderman and mayor of St. Catharines, and now in his new role of Member of the Legislature for Lincoln County and Minister of Labor for Ontario.

Joined with Mr. Daley in the warm enthusiastic reception tendered by 300 persons, representative of the business, industrial, and farm life, and the citizenry generally, was Mrs. Daley who through her husband's public life has been a gracious and willing helpmate.

The occasion was the complimentary dinner tendered Labor Minister Daley at the Leonard hotel under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce. The dinner and the spontaneous ovation accorded Mr. and Mrs. Daley was one of the most impressive in this city's hospitable history.

It was of further historic importance because it was the first time that a provincial premier and nine cabinet members had gathered in St. Catharines. Premier George Drew was accompanied by Attorney-General Leslie Blackwell, Provincial Treasurer Leslie M. Frost, Agricultural Minister Col. T. L. Kennedy, Minister of Lands and Forests W. C. Thompson, Highways Minister G. H. Doucet, Provincial Secretary G. H. Dunbar and Hydro Commissioner G. H. Chaffin, and of course Labor Minister Daley.

In addition to this distinguished array, members of the city council attended in a body as did the Kiwanis Club of which Mr. Daley is a former member and now an honorary member. There were representatives of county and township government from throughout the county, and many prominent leaders of business, finance and agriculture.

On behalf of the citizens Mayor W. J. Macdonald, M.P., presented to Mr. and Mrs. Daley a silver tea service and an illuminated address.

Dinner plates made of slabs of salt are reported in use in China; they season the food served on them.

Potatoes With Patriotic Hue

Miss May Penrose Digs Bag And a Half of Red, White And Blue Spuds.

By a freak of nature, a young school girl in South Grimsby township is raising Red, White and Blue potatoes.

Little Miss May Penrose, who resides with her parents at the Penrose service station, at the junction of the Grimsby and Smithville Stone Road and No. 20 Highway, planted a Victory Garden.

Last week she dug her potatoes and got a bag and a half. By some queer quirk the skins of the potatoes are three different hues, red, white and blue and some are mixed colors. The potatoes planted were white Manitoba potatoes and no one yet has been able to explain the reason for this color creation.

Big Loan Parade Sunday, Oct. 24

High School Cadets—L. & W. Regimental Band — Legion And Other Organizations To Take Part.

A big Victory Loan Parade and Rally will be held in Grimsby on Sunday afternoon, October 24th, at four p.m.

The parade will leave the High School grounds at 3.30 p.m. headed by the Lincoln and Welland Regimental band, High School Cadets, Canadian Legion and other patriotic organizations.

The parade will finish in front of the post office where community singing and other entertainment will be provided.

An address will be delivered by Capt. Prof. C. H. Stearn, of McMaster University, Chaplain of the C.O.T.C. "Everybody is invited to attend this parade and rally."

Town Team Wins

Supt. of Works J. M. Lawrie and Town Teamster Val Teesdale, hitched up "the old grey mares" and went to Beamsville fair on Monday. In other words they took Grimsby's crack town team to the fair and put them on exhibition.

Their coats were shining. Their harness and gray were spotless and when driven into the show ring they did their stuff in real style. They carried off the first prize in the Agricultural class and were adjudged the best team of horses on the grounds. Fair officials would not allow them to show in the single horse classes.

Sapphire and ruby are varieties of the mineral corundum, which is aluminum oxide; they differ only in colour.

Peru is experimenting in commercial tea-raising; a tea plantation has been established and young plants will be distributed to farmers.

William Vickers Died In Hospital; Resident of North Grimsby 36 Years

Suspected victim of assault and robbery, William Vickers, 80-year-old North Grimsby Township fruit farmer, died Sunday night in Hamilton General Hospital, where he had been for the past week in a state of coma.

The aged farmer, who resided alone, was found unconscious and with his face and clothing bloodstained in his home on the morning of Oct. 3, by a son, Charles, who lives nearby.

Provincial police found bloodstains in different rooms of the house and a pool of blood outside a woodshed door. The dining room was in a state of disorder as though a struggle had taken place. Members of the family told police that a cash box, in which Mr. Vickers kept money and valuable papers, was missing, and also reported that the dining room lamp could not be found.

The broken chimney of this lamp lay on the floor. A couple of days later a resident of Grimsby Beach found broken and bloodstained pieces of a lamp lying beside the

Queen Elizabeth Way six miles from Vickers' home.

While not definitely established, it is said that this lamp was similar to the one missing from Vickers' home. No trace of the missing cash box has been found. Police have worked continuously on the case for the past week but without definite results. An analysis of the bloodstains on the lamp and on articles in the house is being made to ascertain if they are in the same blood group.

A post mortem was performed Monday and the body was later released to the family. Police said that results of the post mortem had not yet been announced. Investigation is being continued.

Deceased was born in England and came to Canada in 1877. He has farmed in North Grimsby for 36 years. His wife predeceased him in 1903.

Mr. Vickers is survived by a daughter, Mrs. O. E. Wainman of Toronto, three sons, Wilfred and Charles of North Grimsby and Jack of London, also a brother, Thomas Vickers, McCart, Ont.

Team Of Horses Reported Missing

St. Kitts Provincial Police Get New Problem To Solve — "Haw" Horse Has An Identifying Mark.

Provincial police are almost case-hardened to receiving telephone reports that some innocent, almost helpless motorist has lost a rubber tire maybe even a wheel with it; next a B gasoline book, and then a complaint that a gasoline tank has been drained dry.

Now they're sure that this is the gasoline-less age and that the horse is here to stay, or maybe he won't stay put. Anyway, when the telephone jangled at provincial police headquarters in St. Catharines Friday night, Constable W. J. McBride heard a voice say: "This is Nick Thiesen, R.R. 1, Jordan, calling someone has stolen my team of horses, or maybe they have strayed away."

"This is the end," gasped Constable McBride to Constable F. H. Cooney sitting nearby, "now we've got to go looking for horses along with tires, gasoline and everything else."

There is no standard form for taking the description of a missing horse—there is for autos and humans—so Constables McBride and Cooney made up their own. The details are some thing like this: "Lost, Strayed or Stolen — One black team; nameless; identification mark, white spot on forehead of 'haw' horse; owner, Nick Thiesen, R.R. 1, Jordan."

Navy League News



Last week we sent off to Toronto 16 cartons of magazines and one carton of books. Friends still send in magazines that are unsuitable and have to be thrown out.

Mrs. Coxal also packed and sent forward to the quarters the following woollen comforts—4 turtle neck long sleeve sweaters, 13 helmets, 5 pairs mitts, 40 pairs socks, 43 pairs of sea boot stockings, 26 square neck sweaters and 5 turtle neck tuck-ins. Total 119 articles. The previous shipment was in April when a total of 96 articles were sent.

Ditty Bags

42 have been despatched this week. Quite a number are still out. Please fill them as quickly as possible. All ditty bags for Christmas should be at our headquarters in Toronto not later than November 1st. A lot of work is entailed in despatching over 70,000 bags packed 5 in a carton. Eleven different ports, and, as the ships arrive, they are put on board, and are given to the sailors on Christmas Day. A beautiful gift and how they do appreciate them.

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